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‘So There’s No Prize for Best Hiding Spot? And No Game?’

Police in Boulder, Colo., are looking for a man who hid in the tank of a portable toilet at a yoga festival. Police say a woman went into the portable toilet on Friday and noticed something moving in the tank. The woman asked a man to look inside the tank and he saw something under a tarp. According to the Boulder Daily Camera, a security supervisor waited outside for the man to emerge. The man came out and ran away. (AP)

“To be honest, I do not have a specific plan for the town.”

— PHAM DINH NGUYEN, A VIETNAMESE BUSINESSMAN WHO BOUGHT THE TOWN OF BUFORD, WYO., FOR \$900,000 EARLIER THIS MONTH. BUFORD HAS JUST ONE RESIDENT, THE PREVIOUS OWNER, AND IS THOUGHT TO BE THE NATION’S SMALLEST TOWN.

PROCEDURES

This Item Raises Many Inappropriate Questions

A prison inmate in South Dakota is suing a hospital for performing a circumcision on him when he was an infant. Dean Cochrun, 28, is imprisoned at the South Dakota State Penitentiary in Sioux Falls for kidnapping. He says in a complaint filed Friday in federal court that he was “recently made aware of the fact that I had been circumcised,” and that the procedure has left him feeling inadequate and unable to fully enjoy sex. (AP)

The Big Picture



NOT YET AN OLYMPIC SPORT: Danyale Jones spits a live crawfish from her mouth as she competes in the bobbing for crawfish competition during the 20th annual Rajun Cajun Crawfish Festival in Memphis, Tenn., on Sunday. This year 16,150 pounds of crawfish were cooked and served. (AP)

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Romney Announces VP Search

GOP candidate stays mum on possible nominees for No. 2

Boston

Don't look for a vice presidential shocker from Mitt Romney. His choice of a running-mate — a search he announced Monday he has begun — will be guided by both his methodical, risk-averse corporate training and the lessons his party learned from Sarah Palin's selection.

Preparedness to serve and loyalty to Romney are likely to trump other credentials as the all-but-sure Republican nominee looks to avoid the blowback John McCain faced four years ago with his surprise choice of first-term Alaska governor for the GOP ticket.

Mindful of that, Romney will put experience at the top of his list



Mitt Romney is likely to consider conservative favorites, such as Virginia Gov. Bob McDonnell, top left, New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie, top right, South Carolina Gov. Nikki Haley, bottom left, and former Minnesota Gov. Tim Pawlenty.

of qualities as he chooses a No. 2, according to senior advisers and GOP operatives familiar with his thinking. They spoke on the condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to speak can-

didly about a process Romney himself is trying to keep private.

For all the secrecy surrounding the process, the former Massachusetts governor did give a few hints about his plans Monday, disclosing

At the Top of the List



Ohio Sen. Rob Portman is near the top of many speculative lists of potential running mates for Mitt Romney. Portman endorsed Romney early and campaigned hard for him in his home state. Romney, who won Ohio by a slim margin, knows Portman and is said to respect him. The Ohio senator also is unlikely to spring any surprises on the Romney campaign. (AP)

that he had chosen his former chief of staff and 2008 presidential campaign manager, Beth Myers, to lead the vetting and analysis of prospective running mates. Several other members of the tight-knit cadre that has surrounded Romney for years also are likely to be involved. KASIE HUNT AND STEVE PEOPLES (AP)

In Brief

GREENSBORO, N.C.

In Edwards' Trial, 47 Possible Jurors Rejected

A federal judge on Monday dismissed 47 potential jurors from the coming John Edwards trial, many because they said they couldn't fairly weigh evidence involving the former Democratic presidential candidate. Edwards has pleaded not guilty to six criminal counts. (AP)

WASHINGTON

American Jim Yong Kim To Lead World Bank



Kim

Jim Yong Kim, an American who is president of Dartmouth College, has been chosen to be the next president of the World Bank. His selection Monday extends the U.S. hold on the top job at the 187-nation development agency. (AP)

SACRAMENTO, CALIF.

Judge Releases Teen Who Says She Was Raped

A California judge on Monday ordered the release of a 17-year-old girl who had been placed in juvenile hall last month because prosecutors feared she would flee rather than testify at the trial of her suspected rapist. Sacramento County Superior Court Judge Lawrence Brown previously ordered the girl held because she has a history of running away. On Monday, he said she would be released with a GPS ankle bracelet after attorneys agreed to the release. (AP)

Hearsay

"It was my early birthday present. ... That was a really defining moment, and I loved it."

— ANN ROMNEY, AT A FUNDRAISER FOR MITT ROMNEY ON SUNDAY REFERRING TO DEMOCRAT HILARY ROSEN'S COMMENT ABOUT ANN NEVER WORKING "A DAY IN HER LIFE." ANN TURNED 63 ON MONDAY.

Major Spring Snowstorm Buries Minnesota



TAYLOR BAKARIC, 9, DUCKS FROM A SNOWBALL thrown by her friend Kayle Osborne, 9, as the two girls enjoyed their unexpected day off of school Monday in Virginia, Minn. A major spring storm dumped between 6 and 11 inches of heavy, wet snow over northeast Minnesota, closing schools and making travel hazardous and difficult.



RISKS

Get Some Shut-Eye

Nodding off behind the wheel isn't the only threat from a lack of shut-eye. There's growing evidence that people who regularly sleep too little suffer long-lasting consequences that a nap won't cure: An increased risk of diabetes, heart disease and other health problems. "We have a societal conspiracy for sleep deprivation," says Russell Sanna of Harvard Medical School's sleep medicine division, who attended a TEDMED conference last week where scientists called sleep loss one of health care's big challenges. (AP)

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‘We Let the Boss Down’

Top army officer calls
prostitution scandal
an embarrassment

Washington

The top U.S. military officer said Monday the nation’s military leadership is embarrassed by allegations of misconduct against at least 10 U.S. military members at a Colombia hotel on the eve of President Obama’s visit over the weekend.



Dempsey

“We let the boss down,” Army Gen. Martin Dempsey, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, told a Pentagon news conference. He said he regretted that the scandal, which also involved 11 Secret Service agents accused of cavorting with prosti-

Colombia

Scandal Widens

Pentagon press secretary George Little said earlier Monday that the number of military members involved in the Secret Service scandal in Colombia may be greater than the five originally cited that he could not provide a specific number. One senior defense official speaking on condition of anonymity said that at least 10 military members may have been involved in the incident over the weekend.. (AP)

tutes at the hotel, diverted attention from Obama’s diplomacy at a Latin America summit.

“I can speak for myself and my fellow chiefs: We’re embarrassed by what occurred in Colombia, though we’re not sure exactly what it is,”

Dempsey added.

The Secret Service sent 11 of its agents home from Colombia amid allegations that they had hired prostitutes at a Cartagena hotel. The military members being investigated were staying at the same hotel, Pentagon press secretary George Little said.

Appearing with Dempsey at the Pentagon, Defense Secretary Leon Panetta said U.S. troops are expected to abide by “the highest standards” of behavior. He promised that if wrongdoing is confirmed, “these individuals will be held accountable.”

Army Col. Scott Malcom, chief spokesman for U.S. Southern Command, said a colonel from the Southern Command staff had been sent to Cartagena to gather facts. He said at least five military members under investigation were being flown to Miami on Monday.

ROBERT BURNS (AP)

\$53M

The amount President Obama raised for his campaign, the Democratic Party and other campaign funds in March, his campaign said Monday. The Republican National Committee says it raised \$13.7 million in March. (AP)

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GSA Exec Asserts Fifth Amendment

Lawmakers denied answers in hearing over wild spending

Washington

The man at the center of the scandal embroiling the General Services Administration declined to say Monday why he authorized more than \$800,000 in spending for a Las Vegas conference, as lawmakers pressed current and former agency officials to explain why they waited more than 11 months to publicly reveal the scandal.

"Mr. Chairman, on the advice of my counsel, I respectfully decline to answer based upon my Fifth Amendment constitutional privileges," former GSA official Jeff Neely said in response to several questions about his role with GSA and whether he was involved in planning the October 2010 conference.

Backstory



Former GSA official Jeffrey Neely could face a criminal investigation by the Justice Department.

Neely was largely responsible for an \$823,000 Las Vegas conference in 2010 that included a clown, a mind-reader and bicycles for a team-building exercise. (AP)

Members of the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee voiced outrage at the spending scandal that led to the ouster of top agency officials and the at least temporary removal of several top career staffers.

Neely, who is on leave, was largely responsible for the Las Vegas conference.

(THE WASHINGTON POST/AP)

Pa. Papers, AP Top Pulitzer List

New York

The Associated Press won a Pulitzer Prize for investigative reporting Monday for documenting the New York Police Department's widespread spying on Muslims, while The Philadelphia Inquirer was honored in the public service category for its examination of violence in the city's schools.

The Patriot-News in Harrisburg, Pa., won for local reporting for breaking the Penn State sexual abuse scandal that eventually brought down legendary football coach Joe Paterno.

The New York Times won two prizes, for explanatory and international reporting. The Huffington Post received its first Pulitzer, in national reporting.

A year after the Pulitzer judges found no entry worthy of the prize for breaking news, The Tuscaloosa News of Alabama won the award for coverage of a deadly tornado. The judges declined to award a prize for editorial writing.

The Pulitzers are given out annually by Columbia University. Each award carries a \$10,000 prize except for the public service award, which is a gold medal. (AP)

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In Brief



Hillary Rodham Clinton accepts a gift from a girl in Brasilia, Brazil, on Monday.

BRASILIA, BRAZIL On Brazil Visit, Clinton Highlights U.S. Ties

A week after Brazil's president visited the United States, Secretary of State Hillary Clinton is in Brazil's capital, highlighting the growing business ties between the two countries. Clinton described exchange programs in technology and education, and said two new consulates are planned for Brazil. (AP)

KAMPALA, UGANDA

Sudan Intensifies Attack On Disputed Border Town

Sudan shelled a disputed border town seized by South Sudan, a southern military official said Monday, as clashes spread near the border separating the two nations. Two Sudanese warplanes dropped "many bombs" Monday on the oil-rich city of Heglig, a town that is claimed by Sudan, the official said. (AP)

BISSAU, GUINEA-BISSAU

Ex-Presidential Hopefuls Condemn Military Coup

The second-place finisher in Guinea-Bissau's presidential election on Monday denounced last week's military coup, when soldiers attacked his opponent's home and arrested him weeks before the runoff vote. Kumba Yala, a former president who was overthrown in a 2003 coup, issued a statement with four other ex-candidates, saying they "condemn all forms of taking power by force." (AP)

Karzai: Attacks Show Intel Lapse

Western leaders laud Afghans' handling of insurgent assault

Kabul, Afghanistan

One day after a spate of attacks left four civilians and 11 members of the security forces dead, President Hamid Karzai blamed the insurgent offensive on a NATO intelligence failure, which he said should be investigated.

Western officials are praising Afghan security forces for their largely independent response to the rare coordinated attacks. Three dozen assailants, including some suicide bombers, were killed by Afghan security forces who — after many hours — succeeded in halt-

Final Coalition Push?

The U.S.-led spring offensive in Afghanistan, expected to begin in the coming weeks, may be NATO's last chance to shore up Kabul's defenses before a significant withdrawal of combat troops limits its options. The focus will be regions that control the main access routes, roads and highways into Kabul from the desert south and the mountainous east. These routes are used not only by militants but also by traders carrying goods from Pakistan and Iran. (AP)

25K

The estimated number of Taliban fighters in Afghanistan. Afghan security forces are expected to reach 352,000 by 2013. (AP)

ing the attacks.

In a statement issued by his office, the Afghan president also implicated his country's own intel-

ligence agency, but said the attacks across Afghanistan were a failure "especially for NATO."

Afghan and U.S. officials blamed the Pakistan-based Haqqani network, which is part of the Taliban and has close links with al-Qaeda, for the weekend attacks that left 36 insurgents, eight policemen and three civilians dead. But Army Gen. Martin Dempsey, chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff,

said officials have not concluded whether the attacks emanated out of Pakistan.

The initial blasts struck at least seven locations across eastern Afghanistan, including three targets in Kabul and a NATO base in Jalalabad.

The casualty toll remained lower than many initially expected, however, drawing Western praise for the actions of Afghan security forces.

Insurgent activity appeared to have died down by Monday afternoon, as Afghan police and troops, backed by NATO forces, secured the staging grounds from which insurgents on Sunday had staged nearly simultaneous assaults on diplomatic and security installations. (THE WASHINGTON POST/AP)

Blanket Factory Collapses in India



RESCUE WORKERS SIFT THROUGH THE RUBBLE of a blanket factory in Jalandhar, a town in India's Punjab state, on Monday after an explosion tore through the three-story structure, killing at least five people. It was unclear how many people remained missing after workers pulled dozens of survivors from the debris, officials said.

U.N. Slams N. Korea For Rocket

United Nations

The U.N. Security Council strongly condemned North Korea's rocket launch Monday, announcing it will impose new sanctions and warning of further action if Pyongyang conducts another launch or a new nuclear test.

The 15-member council, including North Korea's closest ally, China, adopted a statement underscoring its opposition to Friday's launch — which violated U.N. sanctions — and the military policy being pursued by the country's young leader, Kim Jong Un.

North Korea's attempt to launch a satellite ended in failure when the rocket disintegrated over the Yellow Sea, embarrassing Kim at what the North had planned as the centerpiece of the 100th birthday celebration of the country's founder, his grandfather Kim Il Sung. (AP)



Out-of-the-Box Solution: A cardboard cathedral may sound flimsy, but New Zealand's Anglican leaders hope it will deliver a temporary fix and make a statement about the recovery in Christchurch, which an earthquake devastated last year. On Monday, they announced plans to build an 82-foot-high cathedral this year, in part using 104 tubes of cardboard, as a temporary replacement for the iconic ChristChurch Cathedral. (AP)

World

Norway Killer Claims Self-Defense

Suspect sheds tears at trial, but not for victims of massacre

Oslo, Norway

Anders Behring Breivik shed tears as he went on trial Monday for killing 77 people — but not for his victims. The emotional display came when prosecutors showed his anti-Muslim video.

The right-wing fanatic defended the July 22 massacre as an act of “self-defense” in his professed civil war, and sat stone-faced as prosecutors described the slaughter.

But he was gripped by emotion when they showed a video warning of a Muslim takeover of Europe and laden with crusader imagery that he posted on YouTube before the attacks, wiping away tears.

Eight people were killed in the Oslo bombing and 69 more were gunned down at a Labor Party youth camp on Utoya island.

Breivik has said that the attacks



Right-wing fanatic Anders Behring Breivik wipes away tears in court on Monday in Oslo, Norway, as prosecutors aired an anti-Muslim propaganda video that he made.

“Nobody believes that [Breivik] cried out of pity for the victims.”

— **METTE YVONNE LARSEN**, A LAWYER WHO IS REPRESENTING SOME OF THE SURVIVORS AND FAMILIES OF THE VICTIMS IN THE TRIAL OF ANDERS BEHRING BREIVIK FOR HIS JULY 22 MASSACRE IN NORWAY.

were needed to protect Norway from being taken over by Muslims and that he deliberately targeted the Labor Party for what he calls liberal immigration policies.

“I admit to the acts, but not criminal guilt,” Breivik, 33, told the court, showing no signs of remorse on the first day of a trial that is expected to last 10 weeks. (AP)

U.N.: Syria Must Enable Monitors

Beirut

U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon said Monday the Syrian government is responsible for guaranteeing U.N. observers full freedom of movement to monitor the country’s tenuous cease-fire, which appeared to be unraveling.

“It is the Syrian government’s responsibility to guarantee freedom of access, freedom of movement within the country,” Ban said. He called the truce “very fragile,” but said it was essential that it hold.

The U.N. plans to increase the advance team to 30 people, Ban said, adding that the Security Council is expected to authorize a formal monitoring team of about 250

Meanwhile ...

Syrian activists said Monday that the army appeared to be pushing to take control of the last rebel-held districts in Homs. Two activist groups confirmed the intense shelling of Homs and also said at least 14 people had been killed in the ongoing violence Monday. (AP)

people later this week.

The advance team met Monday with Syrian Foreign Ministry officials to discuss ground rules, including what freedom of movement the observers would have, according to Annan’s spokesman, Ahmad Fawzi. (AP)

Hearsay



“We are ready to solve all issues very quick and easily ... if there is goodwill.”

— **ALI AKBAR SALEHI**, IRAN’S FOREIGN MINISTER, SAYING MONDAY TEHRAN IS READY TO END ITS NUCLEAR DISPUTE IN A SECOND ROUND OF TALKS WITH WORLD POWERS NEXT MONTH IN BAGHDAD.

82 The number of hostages taken during a prison riot Monday in northeastern Brazil, local media reported. No deaths were reported in the revolt that began Sunday at the 470-inmate prison in Aracaju, in which visitors and guards were taken by prisoners. (AP)

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3 Appeal Ballot Ruling in Egypt

Frontrunners fight
ban as presidential
vote approaches

Cairo

Three of Egypt's main presidential candidates have filed appeals after the election commission barred them from running in a shakeup of an already tumultuous race and political transition.

Ultraconservative Islamist candidate Hazem Abu Ismail, the more mainstream Islamist Khairat al-Shater of the Muslim Brotherhood, and ex-spy chief Omar Suleiman were knocked out of the race along with seven others on Saturday.

Representatives of all three candidates filed appeals before the deadline on Monday. The election commission is expected to decide Tuesday which appeals will be reviewed, and a final list of candidates will be released April 26, just under a month before the vote.

Candidacies in Question

Egypt blocked 10 presidential hopefuls, including three main contenders:



**HAZEM ABU
ISMAIL**

A lawyer-turned-preacher who was reportedly barred over claims his mother held U.S.-Egypt citizenship.



**KHAIRAT
AL-SHATER**

The Muslim Brotherhood activist's candidacy has been challenged because of his previous criminal record.



**OMAR
SULEIMAN**

Hosni Mubarak's ex-spy chief was barred over problems with signatures gathered for his nomination. (AP)

The decision to disqualify the candidates — along with the possibility it might be reversed on appeal — has injected massive uncertainty into Egypt's first-ever freely contested presidential elections.

It means that the race is being heavily shaped by administrative decisions from the country's election commission comprised of judges appointed by ousted president Hosni Mubarak, which has left many questioning the fairness of the election process.

The commission has not given reason for its decisions, and its disqualification of two top Islamist candidates has brought accusations it might be manipulated by the country's ruling military council, which has vowed to hand over powers after a president is elected. (AP)

15 The number of people injured after a Virgin Atlantic Airways plane flying from Britain to Florida returned to Gatwick Airport for an emergency landing Monday. More than 300 people evacuated using slides, resulting in the injuries, officials said. (AP)

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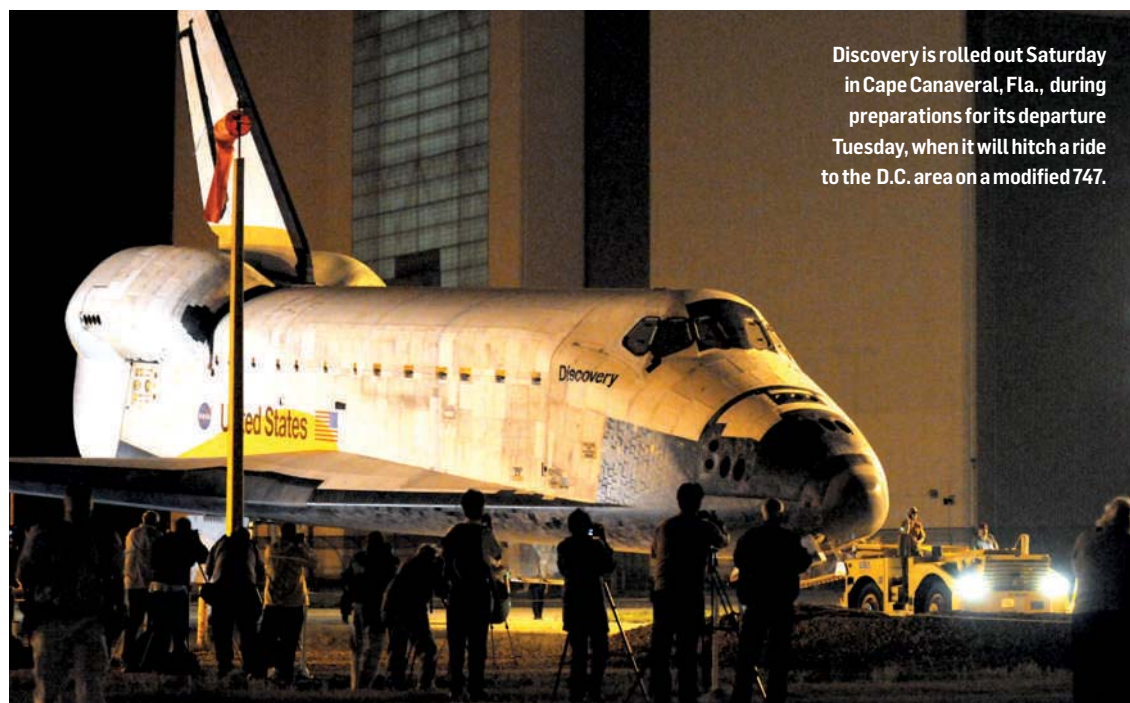
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Discovery is rolled out Saturday in Cape Canaveral, Fla., during preparations for its departure Tuesday, when it will hitch a ride to the D.C. area on a modified 747.

Discovery Moments



1984 Discovery, a shuttle built over a five-year period, takes its first trip into space on Aug. 30.

1985 The first space shuttle flight to include a serving member of the U.S. Congress, Sen. Edward J. Garn, R-Utah, takes flight.

1990 In its 10th space flight, Discovery launches the Hubble Space Telescope into space.



1998 John Glenn, then a 77-year-old member of the U.S. Senate, makes his second trip to space, 36 years after his first trip into space.

2005 After a nearly four-year hiatus for the shuttle program, caused partly by the Columbia disaster in 2003, Discovery returns to space.

2011 Discovery begins its last space mission on Feb. 24. Upon its return, it becomes the first shuttle to be decommissioned. (EXPRESS)

Final Resting Place

How do you display one of the world's most famous spaceships? For curators at the Smithsonian's Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center, the answer was simple: Present Discovery as if it had just landed, gear down, underbelly scorched. All that will be missing is the "space smell," which NASA's Stephanie Stilson described as a "burnt-metal smell." Crews plan to park the space shuttle on Thursday evening in its retirement home at a hangar in the Udvar-Hazy Center, and voila: instant display. Visitors will have clear views of Discovery from above and below, but the interior is off-limits. The Smithsonian plans to display the spacecraft for decades, and the wear and tear of tromping visitors would quickly take its toll, curators said. (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Discovery's Last Liftoff

Beloved NASA shuttle will soar over D.C. on its way to retirement at the Smithsonian

Washington

Space shuttle Discovery has one last mission to complete.

At daybreak Tuesday, the oldest of NASA's retired shuttle fleet was set to leave its home at Kennedy Space Center for the final time, riding on top of a modified jumbo jet.

Its destination: a hangar at the Smithsonian's Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center.

The plane and jet were to make a farewell flight over Cape Canaveral before heading north to swoop over the District before landing at Dulles International Airport.

Space center workers arrived by the busloads Monday at the old shuttle landing strip, where the jet was parked with Discovery bolted on top. Security officers, fire-

39

The number of flights Discovery took over the course of its 27 years in service, making it NASA's hardest-working space shuttle. (TWP)

GET A GOOD LOOK: How will Discovery get to the District in one piece? Check out the Washington Post's interactive graphics breaking down its final trek: <http://cl.ly/Ft3R>

Viewing Points

The 747 carrying Discovery is expected to pass over D.C. between 10 and 11 a.m. Besides Memorial Bridge, some suggested viewing spots are:

- In D.C.: The east side of the Mall and the west side of the Capitol; Hains Point at East Potomac Park; the Southwest Waterfront Park.
- In Maryland: National Harbor.
- In Virginia: Long Bridge Park, 475 Long Bridge Drive, Arlington; Old Town Alexandria waterfront; and Gravelly Point, near National Airport.
- At the Udvar-Hazy Center: The museum's parking lot is another opportunity to catch the shuttle on its approach to Dulles. (TWP)

fighters, former shuttle workers and even astronauts all posed for pictures in front of Discovery.

The six astronauts who flew Discovery's final space trip a year ago were on hand to bid Discovery goodbye.

Discovery first launched in 1984 and flew 39 times in space, more than any other shuttle. It is the oldest of NASA's three surviving space shuttles and the first to head to a museum. NASA spent the past year draining all toxic fuels from Discovery and removing unnecessary plumbing.

It will go on display at the Udvar-Hazy Center, replacing Enterprise, the shuttle prototype that never made it to space but was used in landing tests in the late 1970s. Enterprise is bound for New York City.

"It's good to see her one more time, and it's great that Discovery is going to a good home. Hopefully, millions of people for many, many years to come will go see Discovery," said Steven Lindsey, the last astronaut to command Discovery.

"It's also sad ... it's sad to see that the program is over."

NASA ended the shuttle program last summer after 30 years to focus on destinations beyond low-Earth orbit. Lindsey, no longer with NASA, now works in the commercial space industry, helping to develop a successor for launching American astronauts to the International Space Station.

Discovery's list of achievements include delivering the Hubble Space Telescope to orbit, carrying the first Russian cosmonaut to launch on a U.S. spaceship and returning Mercury astronaut John Glenn to orbit.

Astronaut Nicole Stott had "mixed feelings" as she gazed up at Discovery. "There's no denying the sadness associated with it," said Stott, who was on Discovery's last crew.

MARCIA DUNN (AP)



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Metro Gets Back to Track Work

Several road projects start in earnest, and Metro resumes its schedule of weekend track work, following a sabbatical due to the cherry blossom events. Here's a look at this week's top transit developments.

More Track Work

Metro resumes its weekend maintenance program Friday at 10 p.m.

► **Red Line:** Buses replace trains between Rhode Island Avenue and Silver Spring. Crews work on ties, insulators, rail fasteners, switch resurfacing and station rehabilitation at Fort Totten and Takoma. Brookland, Fort Totten's Red Line platform and Takoma stations are closed.

► **Blue Line:** Buses replace trains

between Pentagon and Rosslyn for replacement of rail ties. Arlington Cemetery station is closed.

New Glenmont Garage

Local, state and federal officials marked the opening of a new parking garage at Glenmont station, adding 1,200 spaces Monday.

Glenmont now has a total of 3,000 spaces.

The garage is located on the west side of Georgia Avenue.



Metro will get back to its weekend track maintenance program starting Friday.

Fast Pass Unveiled

Metro introduced a seven-day unlimited rail pass Monday called the "Fast Pass."

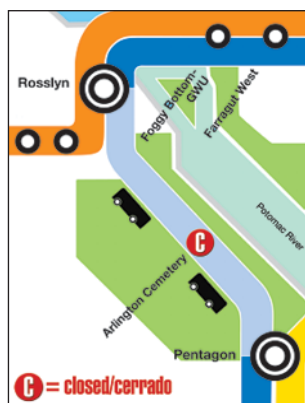
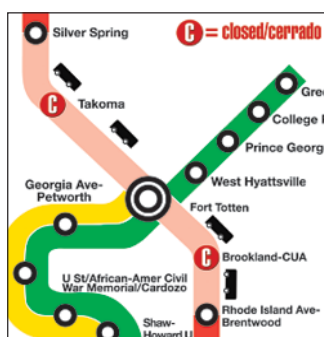
For \$47, customers can load the pass on a SmartTrip card either at a station, a "Passes/Farecards" vending machine or online at Smartrip.com.

The pass gives riders the ability to take unlimited rail trips for seven consecutive days after first use.

The unlimited pass is the latest of multiple upgrades the agency has made to the SmartTrip fare-card system.

In September, Metro introduced its first service allowing riders to add value to their SmartTrip cards online. Also, earlier this year, the transit agency introduced a system to report lost or stolen cards online. (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Weekend Track Work



From Friday, April 20 at 10 p.m. to Sunday, April 22 at closing: Buses replace trains on the Red Line between Silver Spring and Rhode Island Ave and on the Blue Line between Rosslyn and Pentagon. **From Friday, April 27 at 10 p.m. to Sunday, April 29 at closing:** Buses replace trains on the Blue Line between Rosslyn and Pentagon.

Temporarily closing stations and suspending train service is necessary while Metro replaces and repairs ties, replaces rail fasteners, performs grout work, renews rail and insulators, performs interlocking surfacing and rehabilitates Fort Totten and Takoma stations.

To get last train times or information about shuttle bus service, parking and alternate routes, please visit **MetroForward.com** or call 202-637-7000. Track work projects like this are part of Metro's commitment to building a better ride for you.



A Push for Fiscal Emancipation

Survey finds majority of U.S. adults back D.C. budget autonomy

Washington

A new national survey from the District's primary advocacy group shows large majorities of Americans back the concept of budget autonomy for the city.

The poll was released by DC Vote on D.C. Emancipation Day, the 150th anniversary of slaves in the District being granted their freedom, and as advocates for the city believe momentum may be building on Capitol Hill to grant D.C. more fiscal flexibility.

It also comes just after the one-year anniversary of District Mayor Vincent C. Gray, a Democrat, and several Council members being arrested while protesting the imposi-



Re-enactors of the U.S. Colored Troops march down Pennsylvania Avenue in the D.C. Emancipation Day Parade Monday to commemorate the end of slavery 150 years ago.

sition by Congress of a ban on locally funded abortions.

The poll, conducted by the firm Purple Strategies, finds that

71 percent of U.S. adults agree with the statement that District budget decisions should be made by the city's taxpayers and elect-

Meanwhile ...

In what's become a spring tradition, some D.C. brass are bickering because the Washington Nationals expect the mayor and council to share one luxury box at Nationals Park this season. Mayor Vincent Gray reportedly isn't pleased that he now has to share seats with his old colleagues, an arrangement that conforms to the original terms of the stadium lease. After then-Mayor Adrian Fenty got into a high-profile spat with then-Council Chairman Gray over tickets in 2009, the Nats resolved the squabbling by giving the mayor and Council separate luxury boxes for the games. (TWP)

ed officials, while 23 percent think those decisions should be made by Congress. BEN PERSHING (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Ehrlich Predicts Defeat for Gay Nuptials in Md.

Baltimore

Former Gov. Robert Ehrlich, a Republican, predicts that a law allowing same-sex marriage in Maryland will suffer a "decisive defeat" on the November ballot.

Although it is good that the country has made progress in reducing discrimination against gay people, "many of us draw the line at marriage, however," Ehrlich wrote in a column on Sunday in the Baltimore Sun.

"We ask the state to defend this fundamentally important (albeit flawed) institution — not redefine it down to fit the demand of an influential interest group."

Gov. Martin O'Malley, a Democrat, signed Maryland's gay nuptials law last month. JAMES WAGNER (THE WASHINGTON POST)



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Local

August Sentencing Set
For Ex-Lacrosse Player

Charlottesville, Va.

A former University of Virginia lacrosse player is set to be sentenced Aug. 30 for the beating death of his ex-girlfriend.

George Huguely V's sentencing date was scheduled Monday in Charlottesville Circuit Court, according to the clerk's office.

The Chevy Chase, Md., man was found guilty of second-degree murder in February for the slaying of Yeardley Love in May 2010.

The suburban Baltimore woman was Huguely's on-again, off-again girlfriend and a member of UVa's women's lacrosse team. She was found dead in her Charlottesville apartment with injuries from a beating.

Huguely faces up to 26 years on the second-degree murder conviction and a guilty finding on another count related to Love's slaying.

Huguely's attorneys have already asked a judge for a hearing on a motion to have the case retried. (AP)

Va. Tech Honors Massacre Victims



MEMBERS OF THE VIRGINIA TECH CORPS OF CADETS stand guard for 32 minutes early Monday after the lighting of a ceremonial candle at midnight on the Blacksburg, Va., campus. For the first time since 32 people were killed in the April 2007 massacre, Virginia Tech held classes on the anniversary.

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Evening DC 4 (Sun.) 3-9-8-7
Mid-day D.C. Five 1-0-9-6-9
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Maryland

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Evening Pick 3 (Sun.) 0-8-1
Mid-day Pick 4 3-9-2-1
Evening Pick 4 (Sun.) 2-1-2-5
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Virginia

Mid-day Pick 3 1-6-1
Evening Pick 3 (Sun.) 7-8-5
Mid-day Pick 4 8-7-2-8
Evening Pick 4 (Sun.) 3-2-2-9
Mid-day Cash 5 (Sun.) 8-15-19-27-34
Evening Cash 5 (Sun.) 3-4-5-19-23

All winning numbers are official only when validated at a claims location. Drawings that occur after Express' deadline will be published two days later.

Slow Burn in Boston

Hot temperatures force marathon runners to favor safety over speed

Running

There are races to run fast, and there are races just to finish. With temperatures hitting the 80s, Monday's Boston Marathon was the latter.

Nearly 22,500 participants braved unseasonably balmy conditions at the 116th running of the storied 26.2-mile race. Organizers stocked extra water and pleaded with runners to slow their pace to avoid heat stroke. About 4,300 registered participants who chose to sit this one out will be able to transfer their registration to next year's race.

"It was brutal, just brutally hot," said 38-year-old runner Jason Warick of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, who took an ice bath before the race to cool his body. "Around 15 miles the wheels just came off. Then it was just about getting home."

Organizers said that as of the late afternoon, more than 800 runners had received some level of medical attention, and 50 were taken to hospitals in ambulances. One person was taken from the course in serious condition in Wellesley, though the details of their condition were unavailable Monday.

Medical volunteers scanned the finish line for runners display-



ing signs of heat stroke, assisting weakened runners into nearby medical tents.

"I've never seen anything like [that]," said 35-year-old Desiree Ficker of Austin, Texas, who used salt supplements during the race to stay moving. "It was really hard seeing the confusion on people's faces."

Even though hundreds of runners received help for dehydration and heat-related illness, no major injuries were reported during what was one of the hottest marathons in Boston history.

The temperatures in the 80s prompted 30 additional physi-

4,300

The number of registered runners who didn't race in Monday's Boston Marathon because of the heat. The Boston race has had its share of hot weather, with the thermometer hitting **97 degrees** during the 1909 race that came to be known as "The Inferno" and the 1976 "Run for the Hoses" that started in **100-degree heat** and finished with spectators sprinkling winner Jack Fultz with garden hoses to cool him down. (AP)

cians to volunteer at the last minute. Race organizers and volunteers pleaded with runners to put their safety ahead of their competitive drive. "Today is not the day to run a personal best," said Garth Savidge, rehab supervisor at Newton-Wellesley Hospital.

Susie Eisenberg-Argo said she never considered skipping her ninth consecutive Boston Marathon, but forced herself to slow down. "It's a challenge to back off and say, 'I'm just going to take it a little more slowly,'" she said. "Most of the people here know what they're doing."

DAVID KLEPPER (AP)

In Brief



Wigan's Franco di Santo celebrates after scoring Monday versus Arsenal.

SOCCER

Wigan Stuns Arsenal

Wigan backed up its shocking victory over Manchester United by beating another Premier League giant, winning 2-1 at third-place Arsenal on Monday to boost its hopes of staving off relegation. Wigan built a 2-0 lead on goals by Franco di Santo in the seventh minute and Jordi Gomez in the eighth. Thomas Vermaelen halved the deficit in the 21st. (AP)

PRO BASEBALL

Valentine Apologizes After Criticizing Youkilis

Red Sox manager Bobby Valentine questioned Kevin Youkilis' commitment to the game in his weekly television interview on Sunday, then apologized to the Boston third baseman on Monday. Youkilis had a poor spring training and is batting .200 (6 for 30), but Valentine said his comments weren't aimed at motivating him. (AP)

THE WIZARDS

Wiz Add Guard Almond

The Wizards on Monday signed guard Morris Almond and waived Roger Mason Jr., who is out for the season after surgery on his broken left index finger. Almond has played four seasons in the NBA Development League, averaging 24.5 points. (AP)

MEN'S WINNER 2:12:40

Wesley Korir, a Kenyan citizen and permanent resident of the United States, won the Boston Marathon on Monday in a heat-slowed time of 2 hours, 12 minutes, 40 seconds that was almost 10 minutes behind the record established a year ago by Geoffrey Mutai. Korir was the 19th Kenyan men's winner in 22 years. But he is unusual in that he attended college at Murray State before transferring to Louisville and graduating with a biology degree.



WOMEN'S WINNER 2:31:50

Sharon Cherop outlasted hot weather, a sore knee and a sprint to the finish to beat fellow Kenyan Jemima Jelagat Sumgong in yet another women's race that wasn't decided until a dash in the final yards. Cherop finished in 2 hours, 31 minutes, 50 seconds, two seconds ahead of Sumgong. It was the fifth-straight year the women's race was decided by three seconds or less, as Cherop broke away in the final stretch down Boylston Street. (AP)

Capitals Coverage

Game 3 of the Capitals-Bruins playoff series ended after Express' deadline Monday night. For results and analysis, see washingtonpost.com/sports.

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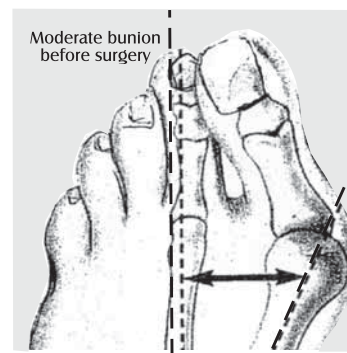
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Mystics Add Youth With 2 Draft Picks

The Mystics

Mystics General Manager/Coach Trudi Lacey spent the offseason adding more veterans to an inexperienced roster, but with two first-round picks in Monday's WNBA draft, she buttressed those additions with a reunion of sorts.

The Mystics chose Notre Dame guard Natalie Novosel with the No. 8 overall selection and minutes later drafted LSU's LaSondra Barrett with the No. 10 selection in the first round of the 2012 WNBA draft. Those two were AAU teammates on the Tennessee Flight during their high school years.

Known for her combination of toughness and skill on the perimeter, the 5-11 Novosel averaged 15.2 points and 4.3 rebounds per game as a senior this past season. She also shot better than 41 percent from three-point range, a facet Lacey said before the draft that she hoped to address.

Novosel is a two-time all-Big East first team selection and led the Fighting Irish to the Final Four the past two years. The versatile Barrett averaged a team-high 12.8 points and 7.1 rebounds for LSU this past season. (THE WASHINGTON POST)

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Rays Sting Red Sox on Patriots Day



BOSTON'S CODY ROSS throws his helmet to the ground while Tampa Bay catcher Jose Molina celebrates after Ross struck out to end Tuesday's game at Fenway Park. The Rays won the Patriots Day matchup 1-0.

WINSLOW TOWNSON/AP



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The U.S. men's and women's soccer teams are going to red and white horizontal stripes for their home jerseys. The U.S. Soccer Federation announced the change Monday, saying the jerseys will have blue collars and are inspired by the American flag. This will be the first time the men and the women will use the same design for home jerseys since 1994. (AP)

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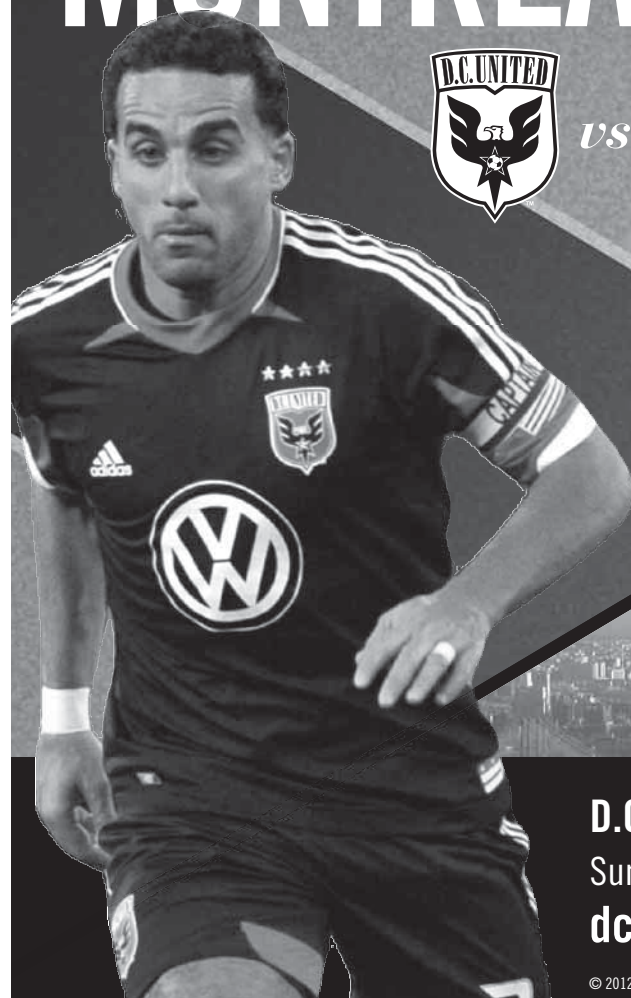


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Sports

Redskins Begin To Work Off Rust

Dozens of players report for offseason voluntary program

The Redskins

The Redskins' offseason conditioning program began Monday, and had a turnout of between 60 and 70 players for their first session, according to members of the team.

The voluntary workout marked the beginning of two weeks of conditioning work, and then more extensive on-field football drills will begin next month.

"This signifies the beginning of us laying the foundation for next season," special teams captain Lorenzo Alexander said. "It's a chance to get to know the new guys, and start building that chemistry. ... I think there was more of a focus, a mindset of guys wanting to win and being ready to get it going. We know we've got work to do."

Players described Monday's work as, in the words of one, "general workout-type stuff," featuring running and weight-lifting. They also had some brief planning meetings with coaches.

"They didn't go too hard on us to start because some guys have been running, and some haven't," Alexander said. "You could tell the guys that have been working. It was good to see a lot of them in shape."



Meanwhile ...

The Redskins officially announced the re-signing of free agent line-backer London Fletcher on Monday. Fletcher agreed to a deal Friday with the Redskins and announced on Twitter that he was returning to the team. He has spent the last five seasons with the Redskins and has reached the past three Pro Bowls. Fletcher led the league in tackles last season. (TWP)

Monday's circumstances differed greatly from the Redskins' situation this time a year ago. At that time, a handful of players reported to Redskins Park, but because of the NFL lockout, they weren't permitted to work out.

From there, a group of Redskins players organized their own workouts and offseason practices until a new collective bargaining agreement was reached.

"It was definitely nice being allowed to work with our trainers, to get a full offseason schedule and know what's ahead of us," Alexander said. (THE WASHINGTON POST)

TV Lineup

NATIONALS (7 P.M., MASN) Gio Gonzalez takes the hill for the Nationals against the Astros.

ORIOLES (8:10 P.M., MASN2) The O's continue their series versus the White Sox.

NHL PLAYOFFS (7:30 P.M., NBCSN; 9 P.M., CNBC) Game 4 of the Red Wings-Predators series and Game 3

of the Blackhawks-Coyotes series.

PRO BASKETBALL (8 P.M., 10:30 P.M., TNT) The Knicks face the red-hot Celtics and the Lakers take on the ageless Spurs.

PRO BASEBALL (7 P.M., 10 P.M., MLB) The Red Sox and Rangers meet at Fenway Park, and then the Giants play host to the Phillies.

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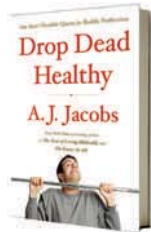
We got a sneak peek Monday at the kind of soaring temperatures we can expect all summer long in Washington. So we decided to see whether Under Armour's new "coldblack" fabric — available in apparel for men and women — lives up to its claims of being able to deflect the sun's heat. The verdict? Our skin definitely felt cooler under the tank (\$35), but a shirt still can't hide the fact that it's near 90 degrees.



The Body Eclectic

A.J. Jacobs becomes a science experiment for his newest book, 'Drop Dead Healthy'

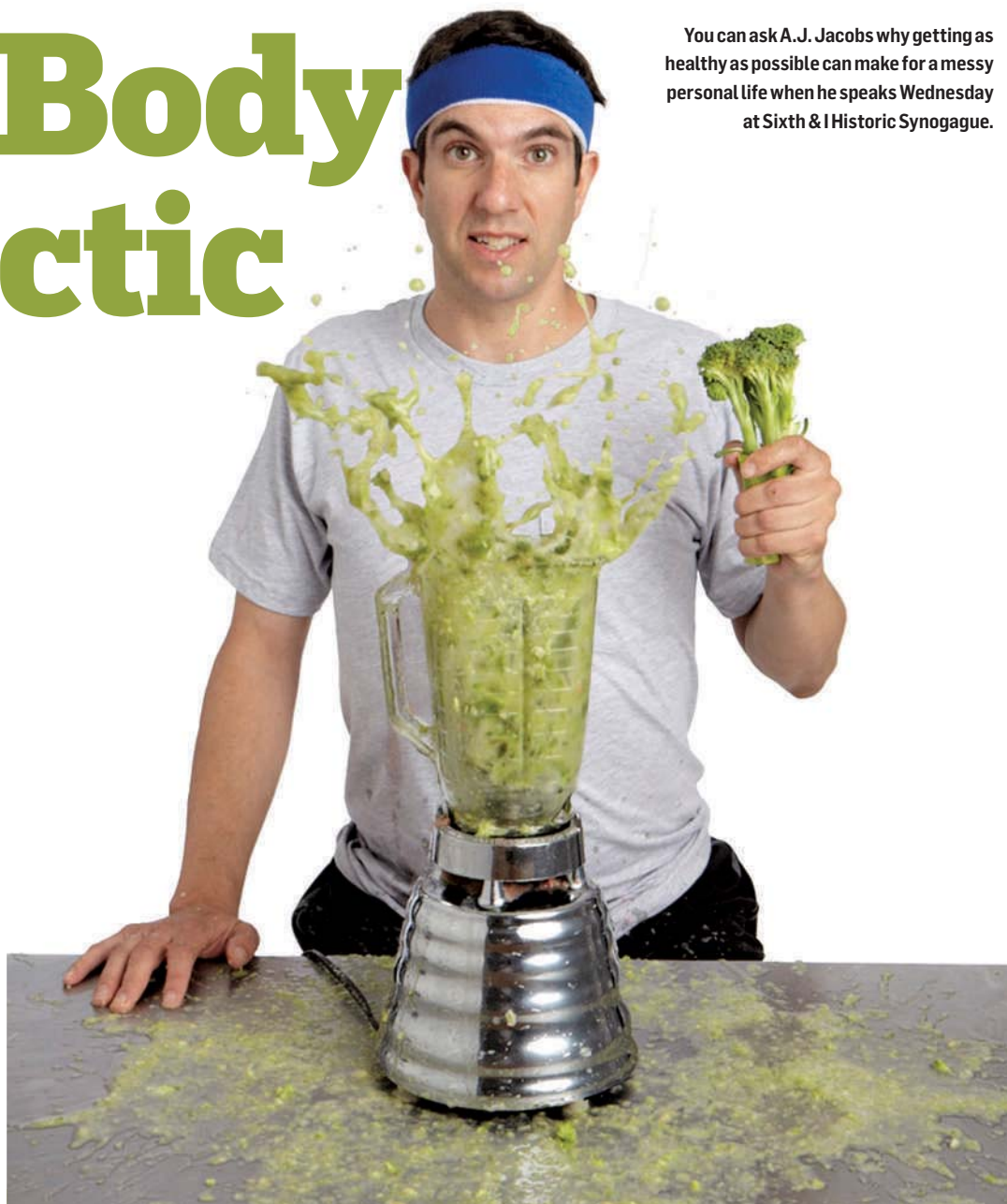
"My Life as an Experiment" is more than the title of A.J. Jacobs' 2009 book; it's a declaration of journalistic intent. The comedic writer's newest release, "Drop Dead Healthy" (Simon & Schuster, \$26) — an attempt to obey all nutrition, fitness and medical advice — follows in the tradition of



2005's "The Know-It-All" (he read the entire Encyclopaedia Britannica) and 2007's "The Year of Living Biblically" (he observed the Good Book to a T). Jacobs launched his latest quest, which involved visiting sleep scientists, acupuncturists and countless fitness gurus, after being waylaid by tropical pneumonia, and because his wife told him, "I don't want to be a widow at 45." Jacobs will appear Wednesday at 7 p.m. at Sixth & I Historic Synagogue (\$10) to chat about losing his self-described "four-months-pregnant belly."

What's the secret to sticking with an exercise plan?

You're not going to exercise if you don't like it. You have to find something that is fun. ... I love walking



You can ask A.J. Jacobs why getting as healthy as possible can make for a messy personal life when he speaks Wednesday at Sixth & I Historic Synagogue.

"I think a lot of people ask me about things that are just dubious junk science. It's pretty easy to dismiss those, even with a simple Google search."

— all the time. I bought a treadmill desk and wrote this book on a treadmill. It took me about 1,200 miles. I never thought of myself as a walker. I was pretty happy with a sedentary life. But I find I have so much more energy now thanks to getting off my butt.

Do you still do high-intensity interval training?

I do HIIT training because it's such

a huge time-saver. I try to do that about three times a week. I go to the park and just sprint for 30 seconds, rest for 30 seconds, and repeat that eight times. The studies say this is perhaps a better workout than a half-hour of leisurely jogging.

What's the worst thing you can do to your body?

Research shows sitting is really, really bad for you. In the book I think I say, "It's like eating a bacon donut every day for breakfast." So, any movement we can do is good — even fidgeting in your chair is better than sitting still.

Is it strange to have people approach you now for health advice?

I like that role. I didn't go to medical school, but I have read a lot. I think a lot of people ask me about things that are just dubious junk science. It's pretty easy to dismiss those, even with a simple Google search. You don't need a colonic. You don't need to shoot water up your butt every month.

Did you think doing this set a good example for your sons?

They exercise their thumbs a lot with their [Nintendo] DSes. I like to incorporate exercise into everything I do. When I'm talking to them, I squat down to eye level with them, so we're eye to eye, and then I stand back up. I ended up doing 50 squats a day just talking to my kids.

What was the most painful part of doing this book?

I did try to do cleanses and found them horribly unpleasant. I was so hungry I was salivating at the site of lettuce. The HIITs workouts are no walks in the park — they're pretty painful. I figure that with ripping off the Band-Aid, you can do it slowly with a little bit a pain, or rip it off all at once. I rip it off all at once. CHRISTOPHER PORTER

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The Cheater's Predicament

Q I've been messing around with my friend's wife. We flirted a lot, and eventually hooked up. She said it was a nice distraction, as she was unhappy at work and couldn't talk to her husband about such things. I've never been interested in getting serious. Lately, she's started talking about leaving her husband and "coming clean." She thinks we may have a future together. I'm desperate to extract myself from this situation with as little collateral damage as possible. *STUCK*

There's no way to sugarcoat this: You're about to break up an ill-advised pseudo-relationship with someone who probably won't take it well, and who has the power to make your life as miserable as a marathon of proctologist visits. There. Does that solve things?

Seriously, all you can do is be kind. She might be devastated and vindictive; she might not. She might tell her husband; she might not. He might try to ruin you socially; he might not. The best thing you can do is to choose to take a healthier, more decisive road from this point forward. End things clearly and respectfully, and hold your breath that karma gives you a freebie.



By Dr.
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Bonior

@ Send your questions to Dr. Andrea Bonior at baggage@readexpres.com. Andrea is a local clinical psychologist and author of the book "The Friendship Fix" (friendshipfix.com).

An Addiction in the Family

Q My sister is a drug addict. She was hospitalized for heroin withdrawal, quickly signed herself out of rehab and recently had a blood clot in her lung. She doesn't seem to realize how serious a blood clot can be. She was given blood thinners, but she leaves the house for days at a time and returns on drugs. We want to kick her out but we're afraid she won't take her blood thinners. We can't force her to see a therapist. *CONCERNED*

My heart goes out to you. You're caught in that desperate situation of wanting to help someone who doesn't want to help themselves. The paradox, of course, is that at some point, you must be willing to let them hurt themselves to guide them into a better life.

How near she is to her rock bottom is not for me to say, and so I

could never tell you whether an intervention should be next. But you and your family could absolutely use counseling. You deserve support and guidance, and it's imperative to have a professional in place in case she might become ready for help. A specialist can help you hold an intervention if it comes time. You should also check out Nar-anon.org.

Event Horizon Switching Gears

Make time on Sunday — Earth Day — to celebrate one of the most eco-friendly (and heart-healthy) transportation options around by pedaling on over to the D.C. Bike Swap in Mt. Pleasant's Lamont Park (at the corner of Mt. Pleasant and Lamont streets NW). From noon until 3 p.m., everyone's invited to show off bikes, accessories, parts, etc., for exchange and sale. It's free to come, but bring a blanket or table to hold your wares.

Meet The Trainer Toney Mooney

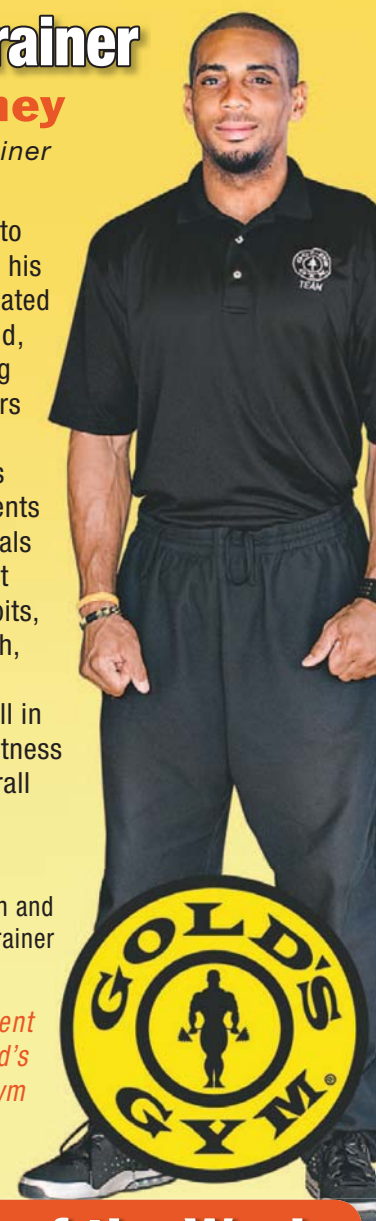
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Dancing Teen Lives a Dream

The world's youngest Zumba instructor, Catalina Mejia, wants to get people moving

With her hip-shaking moves and easy-to-follow cues, Catalina Mejia has made a splash over the past year as a Zumba instructor at Studio X in Gaithersburg. But when her students request private dance lessons, she tells them that they'll have to work around her school schedule.

Then they always ask what college she attends. "And I have to tell them I'm a sophomore in high school," says Catalina, who at age 15 has been certified to teach the fitness program for four years.

If that sounds like it has to be a world record, it is. In March, after sending in proof of her age and the validity of her training and teaching, Guinness World Records proclaimed Catalina the youngest Zumba instructor at 11 years 4 months and 12 days. And that age can't be beaten now that Zumba has instituted a rule that instructors must be at least 16 to be certified.

Catalina's mom, Patricia Arenas, was the one who got her dancing. Arenas had taken a class at work and brought Catalina, then 10, to instructor Azuka Boutcher's gym in Alexandria. "The class was so full, and there was a huge line to get in," Catalina remembers. The Latin moves reminded her of Colombia, where she'd lived until she was 5. She couldn't have been any more awestruck, and then Boutcher invited her to dance beside her. "I said, 'If Azuka is calling you up, you'd better go.' Then there was another song, and she just stayed onstage," Arenas says.

Catalina was hooked on the classes and soon asked Boutcher how she could become a Zumba instructor. The answer was simple: Go to the next certification.

She spent the next few months dedicated to her dancing, and then



When Catalina Mejia, 15, teaches Zumba classes at Studio X in Gaithersburg, she always likes to wear something neon colored.

Just Can't Get Enough

What does Christopher Vo — one of the principal dancers in "Come Fly Away" — do to take a break from the stage? Dance some more. In addition to being a professional hoofer, Vo's a Zumba instructor who's so devoted to the fitness program that he can't stop. So even though he's on the road with the national tour of the musical featuring Frank Sinatra tunes (at the Kennedy Center April 18-29), he's still finding opportunities to teach.

That includes in Washington, where he has two classes lined up: today at Equinox Bethesda at 10:45 a.m., and April 26 at 10:30 a.m. at Equinox Tysons Corner. If you attend, don't be intimidated by other folks in the room, many of whom are likely to be his cast-mates. "Zumba is really for everyone," says Vo, who considers Zumba a critical part of his "upkeep routine" for his performances. "The whole show is 80 minutes, with no intermission. It's a sprint, just like a Zumba class," he adds. *V.H.*



one morning in December, her mom dropped her off at Zumba instructor training to learn the basic rhythms and how to structure a class. When her mom picked her up nine hours later, though they didn't know it yet, Catalina was a world-record holder.

Most gyms aren't about to hire 11-year-olds, however. So Catalina committed herself to going to classes, teaching her parents and brother, and offering her services at family gatherings.

What kept her so loyal to Zumba? "It's a party. You meet new people, and there's something new every time," she says. "It makes you happy."

It made her particularly happy the day she showed up at Studio X in 2010. When co-owner Julie Hoang walked over, she found out she was meeting another certified

instructor — and the ideal candidate to help launch teen classes at the studio.

"I was a little skeptical at first," Hoang says. "But she's not a typical teenager." Catalina never had stage fright, she immediately commanded attention when she got onstage and she developed her own choreography.

For the past year, she's been teaching kids' classes and co-teach-

"Go at your own pace. And smile! I'll scream a lot, and you'll scream, too."

— CATALINA MEJIA, THE WORLD'S YOUNGEST ZUMBA INSTRUCTOR

ing adult classes at Studio X. On a recent Saturday, it was evident she knew what she was doing when she bounded in front of a room of 50 or so women and gave them pointers for the next hour. "Go at your own pace. And smile! I'll scream a lot, and you'll scream, too," she announced. (Catalina describes her instructor style as "bubbly and fun — I'm the Energizer bunny.")

Even though she could keep going and going, Catalina limits her teaching to weekends. Her classes at Wootton High School in Rockville come first, she says. She definitely plans to make time, however, to organize Zumba charity events, like the one she put together to support post-quake Japan last year.

In August, she'll attend her first Zumba convention in Orlando, where she can't wait to meet all of her Zumba heroes. And within a few years, she wants to train other instructors, teach internationally and own a studio.

If Catalina ever doubts herself — which seems unlikely — she can just look at her certificate from Guinness. "It proves that if you love something, you should go after it," she says. *VICKY HALLETT (EXPRESS)*

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New Research: Hearts Like It Hot

Eating spicy foods may help you lower your bad cholesterol

Hitting the gym is a great way to keep your heart healthy. But what about breaking a sweat during dinner? Eating spicy foods may also protect your heart against disease, according to new research.

Scientists from the Chinese University of Hong Kong studied the effects of capsaicinoids — a compound that gives chili peppers, jalapeños and cayenne peppers their kick — on hamsters. The hamsters

that munched on spicy foods had lower levels of LDL, or “bad” cholesterol, compared with their capsaicinoid-free counterparts. The spicy compound also blocked the action of the gene responsible for causing arteries to contract. That means the muscles were more relaxed and blood could flow more easily to the heart in the hamsters that were fed capsaicinoids.

Before turning up the heat in your kitchen, keep in mind that researchers need to conduct more studies to find out if these heart-healthy benefits translate to humans. Plus, too much spice can cause tissue inflammation and cause your stomach to excrete excess digestive acid.

If you don't like spicy foods, there's also a small amount of capsaicin in oregano and cinnamon. (REPRINTED WITH PERMISSION OF MEN'S HEALTH MAGAZINE © RODALE INC.)



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Recipe File

BRAISED CHICKEN LEGS WITH SPRING VEGETABLES

Start To Finish

1 hour (30 minutes active)

Ingredients

- ▶ 1 tablespoon unsalted butter, room temperature
- ▶ 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- ▶ 1 tablespoon canola or vegetable oil
- ▶ 4 chicken legs, skin and excess fat removed (can also substitute a mix of drumsticks and thighs)
- ▶ Salt and ground black pepper
- ▶ 2 large sweet onions, quartered
- ▶ 1/4 cup white wine
- ▶ 2 cups no-salt chicken stock
- ▶ 2 teaspoons dried thyme
- ▶ 1 bunch asparagus
- ▶ 1 bunch broccolini
- ▶ 1 tablespoon cider vinegar

Makes Four Servings

In a small bowl, mix together the but-



MATTHEW MEAD/AP

ter and flour until completely smooth. Set aside.


In a heavy bottomed pot over medium-high, heat the oil. Season the chicken legs with salt and pepper. Working in batches, cook the chicken legs until well browned, about 5 minutes per side. Transfer the chicken to a plate.

Add the onions to the pot and brown for 8 minutes. Add the wine and scrape the bottom of the pan to loosen any browned bits. Return the chicken legs to the pan along with the stock and thyme. Bring to a low simmer, then cover. Reduce heat to low and simmer until the chicken legs are tender, about 30 minutes.

When the chicken is cooked, place

the asparagus and broccolini over the chicken and cover. Allow the vegetables to steam for 4 to 5 minutes, or until just tender and bright green.

Transfer the chicken legs and vegetables to a platter. Increase the heat to medium-high and whisk in the flour and butter mixture. Continue whisking until the mixture thickens, about 3 minutes. Whisk in the vinegar, then season with salt and pepper. Pour the sauce over the chicken and vegetables. (AP)

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Sound Bets



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Noisy Neighbors

Blogs can be tough work. Not the personal-journal kind, where you detail last night's meal, but the regularly updated professional-looking type you have to maintain on time not spent on work, family, etc.

D.C.'s Allournoise.tv music blog does a great job of highlighting buzz-



By Christopher Porter

worthy MP3s and videos with short blurbs, but main men Raul Zahir de Leon and Victor Alejandro Aguilar, above left and right, also produce high-quality, expertly edited live videos of local and touring bands. (The site is heavy on indie rock, but the duo's tastes run the gamut.)

De Leon and Aguilar will have their cameras in hand at 9 p.m. this Saturday night for "AON Presents: Volume 3" at Montserrat House (2016 9th St. NW). The concert celebrates the redesign of the 4-year-old Allournoise.tv and features three great local bands who share the site's dedication to DIY culture: improv-rockers Plums, instrumental post-rockers Buildings and lo-fi crunchers Sun Wolf.

Do the Allournoise.tv guys a favor when you see them: Offer to hold their cameras so they can raise a glass to all their hard work.



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Matters of the Heart

Steve Harvey breaks down relationship barriers in a book and its companion film

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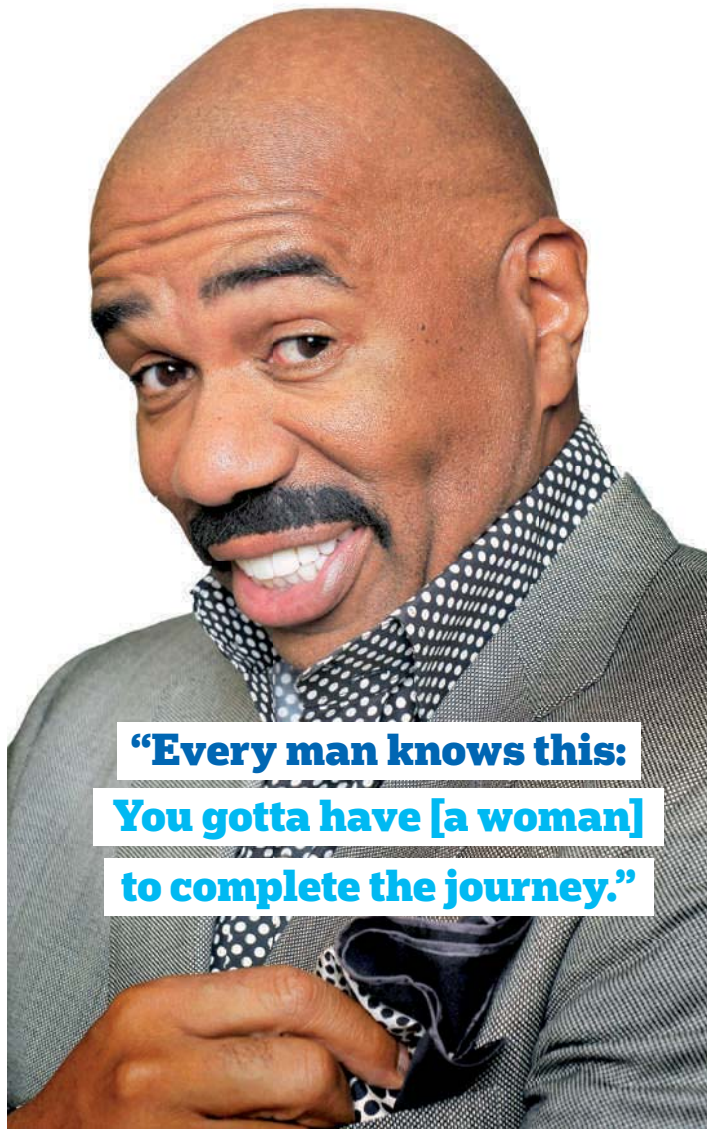
If the new romantic comedy "Think Like a Man" seems ultra-clear about its message — don't hate the player, change the game — that's because it's based on the hugely popular self-help relationship book "Act Like a Lady, Think Like a Man."

And if author, comedian and syndicated radio and TV host Steve Harvey, who's been married three times, seems an unlikely relationship expert, he's not.

"I wrote a book on how men think," to help empower women, Harvey says. Because how men think is Harvey's area of expertise. Men share universal truths, Harvey says, and he wanted to get the ladies to stop talking to other women about men and start talking to men. Or at least to him.

So he broke down his talking points into chapters: "We Need to Talk," and Other Words That Make Men Run for Cover," and "Men Respect Standards — Get Some."

In the movie, which opens Friday, those chapters are played out on-screen. There's "The Dreamer vs. the Woman Who Is Her Own Man," and "The Player vs. the 90-Day Rule Girl." Five types of men, four types of women. And no worries about Harvey's best-selling wisdom getting lost in translation. The movie's central conceit is that women



MARVIN JOSEPH/TWP

**"Every man knows this:
You gotta have [a woman]
to complete the journey."**

who've been underserved in relationships buy the book and confound their men. The men find the book and turn the tables.

"When you take away all the social networking, texting, Facebook, at the end of the day, you've

got to sit down face to face with this woman and try to make a go of it," Harvey, 55, says. "What the movie did was it really showed women a lot of the power they possess. At the end of the day, every man knows this: You gotta have one of them to

Film



Playing the Game

In the movie version of "Think Like a Man," Michael Ealy, left, plays Dominic, who dreams of being a top chef. His relationship with the hard-driving careerist Lauren (Taraji P. Henson, right) becomes the one viewers are most rooting for. At the end of the day, Dominic "mans up," Ealy says, "and finds a way to make his dreams come true." (TWP)

complete the journey."

Though he's taken some heat from guys who say he's spilled the trade secrets of manhood, Harvey says it's all for love. After his second divorce, which was the subject of messy headlines, Harvey says he was ready to have a revolving door for the women he wanted in and out of his life. Instead, since 2007, he's been married to a woman who walked into a comedy club he was playing 21 years ago and so stunned him, he told her right then and there he was going to marry her. Men are easy to figure, Harvey says. "Women know it all, they just can't put it together."

That, of course, would be where he comes in. LONNAE O'NEAL PARKER (THE WASHINGTON POST)



New Stripes: Jack White, left, will kick off the release of his first solo album, "Blunderbuss," with a concert streamed live online, to be directed by actor Gary Oldman. The show will be the first installment in the third season of American Express' "Unstaged" series, which pairs top musical acts with renowned filmmakers. White's concert at New York's Webster Hall will be streamed live April 27 (9 p.m. EST) on VEVO, free of charge. (AP)

entertainment **lookout**

Alabama Shakes singer Brittany Howard, front, sounds like a mix of Janis Joplin, Bettye LaVette and Lucinda Williams.

ALABAMA SHAKES

Back to the Basics

The Alabama Shakes make some big noise with a retro sound

Album Review

The Alabama Shakes have attracted tremendous buzz since an MP3 of their soul-drenched ballad "You Ain't Alone" was posted online last summer. "Boys and Girls," the Athens, Ala., five-piece's full-length

debut, confirms what all the fuss was about.

Equal parts blues, rock and soul, the group's unapologetically gut-bucket take on Southern musical vernacular calls to mind everyone from Big Brother & the Holding Company to Etta James, Otis Redding and the White Stripes.

The record's freshness derives not only from the self-possession — and preternaturally soulful vocals — of 23-year-old frontwom-



Boys & Girls
Alabama Shakes

an Brittany Howard, but also from the band's lithe instrumental interplay and funky grooves. "Rise to the Sun" opens with stomping rhythms, only to give way to Howard's ravaged pleading before erupting into a maelstrom of cathartic noise.

Praise

Like the Boss

Patterson Hood, the Drive-By Truckers frontman who spread the gospel as an early Alabama Shakes adopter and took the band on the road, compared singer Brittany Howard's ability to mesmerize a crowd to Bruce Springsteen's audience-winning ways. He says she has "the undecipherable thing — the thing that separates people who are really good from those that have that extra something." (AP)

In "Hold On," over a fat, buzzing groove she sings, "Bless my heart, bless my soul / Didn't think I'd make it to 22 years old," her petulant drawl splitting the difference between Lucinda Williams and Bettye LaVette. Janis Joplin comparisons will probably get the most mileage in reviews of this record, but "On Your Way," the album's sublime closing track, sounds a mystical note more in keeping with Van Morrison as Howard yearns for but can't reach "the promised land." "I climbed to the mountain / And I don't know what I did wrong," she wails over keening electric guitar and rumbling Southern rock rhythms. Whatever it was, her misstep certainly didn't have anything to do with her contributions to this inspired debut. BILL FRISKICS-WARREN (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Film Beat

Outsourced 'Iron'

Walt Disney Co. says it will co-produce its next "Iron Man" movie with a Chinese partner in Hollywood's latest effort to forge closer ties with China's fast-growing film industry. Walt Disney and its Chinese partner, DMG Entertainment, will jointly produce the movie in China but gave no indication as to what parts might be filmed in this country. "We know Chinese audiences love Iron Man. So we are going to add Chinese elements and a Chinese story into 'Iron Man 3,'" says Disney's general manager for Greater China, Stanley Cheung. DMG also co-produced the science fiction thriller "Looper," out later this year, starring Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Bruce Willis and Emily Blunt. (AP)



Today's Top Stops

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1 It's in the Jeans

We thought the whole point of denim was that it's casual, but Madewell (the slightly hipper J. Crew) takes denim extremely seriously. So seriously, they've got a giant 1970s van and are taking it around the country holding workshops on how to find your denim spirit animal. We're not sure why the event includes a hair braiding bar, but whatever. **The George Washington University, 2121 I St. NW; noon, free; Twitter.com/Madewell1937. (Foggy Bottom)**

2 Puppet Master

Take a hike, Elmo. World-famous (well, in puppetry circles) puppeteer Basil Twist has brought his latest show, "Dogugaeshi," to Studio Theatre as part of the Cherry Blossom Festival. It's both an example of and a story about dogugaeshi puppetry, a 17th-century Japanese stage technique that uses sliding paper screens to tell a story. **Studio Theatre, 1501 14th St. NW; through Sun., \$45; 202-332-3300, Studiotheatre.org. (Dupont Circle)**

3 Soulful and He Knows It



Mayer Hawthorne could easily be a novelty act. The former rapper started recording soul songs for fun, just as something to share with friends. But — as evidenced on his 2011 LP, "How Do You Do" — something clicked when he combined his hip-hop sensibilities with a classic, '60s sound. Now we couldn't imagine him doing anything else. **9:30 Club, 815 V St. NW; 7 p.m., \$25; 202-265-0930, 930.com. (U Street)**

lookout TV tonight

Best Bets

PBS
8:00



Lidia Celebrates America The second in a series of four specials with celebrity chef and culinary author Lidia Bastianich (right, with Isaac Mizrahi) continues the celebration of culture through food with a focus on the traditions surrounding nuptial events.

SYFY
9:00

Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files The team continues to search for the most intriguing images, videos and unnatural phenomena, then heads into the field and attempts to re-create the images, carries out key experiments and questions eyewitnesses.

ABC
10:00

Private Practice As Erica's health continues to deteriorate, Charlotte and Cooper try to help young Mason face the truth about his mother's condition. Sheldon and Jake treat an accused child killer who is pregnant again. (TRIBUNE MEDIA)



NEW GIRL

Don't Trust the Baby-Sitter

FOX
9:00

Jess (Zoëy Deschanel, right) meets Russell's (Dermot Mulroney, left) ex-wife (guest star Jeanne Tripplehorn) when she baby-sits their daughter for the weekend. Elsewhere, Cece and Schmidt have a pregnancy scare. Nick hooks up with a much-younger woman. And Winston makes a discovery about his new boss. Fox sportscaster and ex-NFL player Michael Strahan also guest-stars, as himself. (TM)

Fashion



Outside the Box

The contestants on "Fashion Star" (10 p.m., NBC) are challenged to work outside their comfort zones — one designer who is used to creating women's clothes, for example, tries putting together something for men. Elle Macpherson, above, hosts. (TM)

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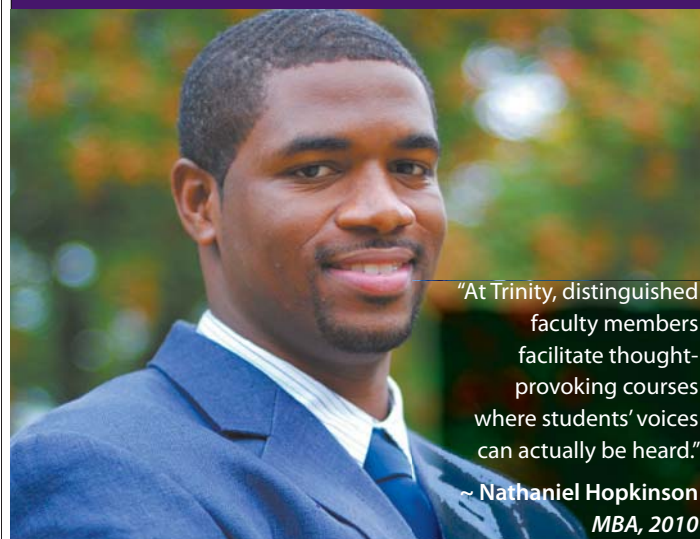
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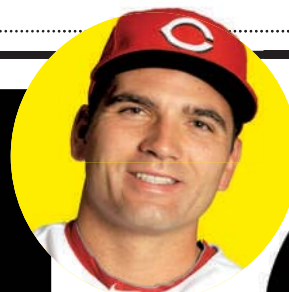
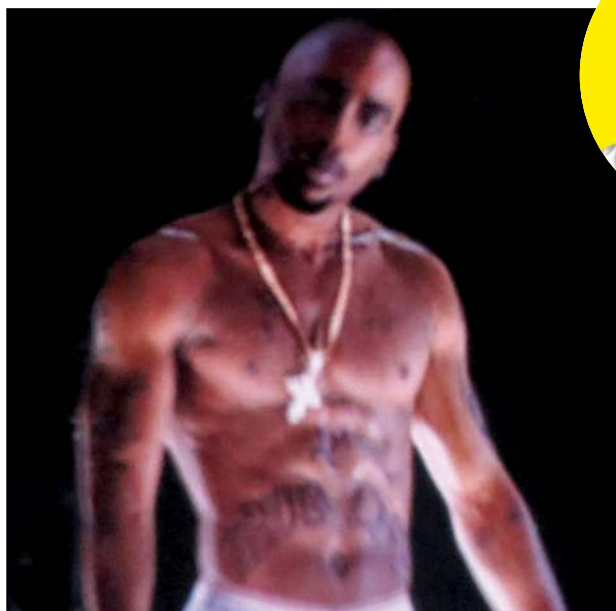
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— **BRETT LOGIURATO AT BUSINESSINSIDER.COM** thinks a photo of the secretary of state drinking beer at a Cartagena, Colombia, night club while she was in town for the Summit of the Americas over the weekend will only boost her popularity.

“Here’s another marketing stunt for the ‘could never happen in America’ file. ... In the U.S., of course, some confused bystander would have pulled out his own gun and blown away a good portion of the talent.”

— **ADWEEK.COM/ADFREAK** thought a promotional stunt for TNT’s debut on Belgium TV that featured a car chase and a gun battle in the middle of a town square would have turned out badly if it had happened here.

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— **DEREK MEAD AT MOTHERBOARD.VICE.COM** found the use of a hologram image of Tupac at Coachella last weekend a bit gauche, adding, “Is that what we’re reducing his image to?”

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— **DAN STEINBERG AT WASHINGTONPOST.COM/BLOGS/DC-SPORTS-BOG** did not take kindly to the Reds’ Joey Votto saying, “You know, they showed a lot of Natitude the first three games; we showed some Cincinnatavism in the last game,” after Sunday’s 8-5 win over the Nats.

“That news, coupled with [executive producer] Rebecca Eaton recently confirming a major character’s Season 3 death, had a legion of fans wailing and gnashing their teeth over the possible killing off of Lady Violet. How ghastly, as she would say.”

— **ANDREA REIHER AT BLOG.ZAP2IT.COM/FROMINSIDETHE-BOX** reacts to a rumor that Maggie Smith has asked to be written out of her role on PBS’ “Downton Abbey” after this season. However, a representative from the show said those rumors were nonsense.

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Horoscope

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You may have to do more research today before you have all the information you need to put a new idea into motion.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) What seems difficult at first is likely to be simple for you when you find your rhythm. Be patient with yourself and others.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Now is not the time to permit another to take liberties; you must insist that he or she respect your boundaries at all times.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You're looking for something that may not be available to you at this time. Perhaps you have a suitable substitute in mind?

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You may not be able to keep an appointment today — but you will surely do everything you can to keep everyone informed of your whereabouts.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You may have to put one of your primary jobs on hold temporarily today, as you tend to one or two new responsibilities that simply will not wait.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) A promise is made today that has you thinking everything is on the mend — but you may be overlooking one simple fact.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You may not have all the information you need to make a final decision, but you can surely weigh options with a certain degree of confidence.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Your enthusiasm may wane unexpectedly today, but you must stay the course and work to restore your get-up-and-go.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) What is it you have that others are so eager to acquire for themselves? What they don't know is that it is actually something intangible.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) It's been too long since you were in touch with that certain someone. If circumstances are just right, you can remedy the situation.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Another's work may provide you with the inspiration you need to improve your own performance — on the job and at home.

Scrabble Grams

PAR SCORE 145-155, BEST SCORE 217

E ₁	O ₁	O ₁	T ₁	V ₄	D ₂	R ₁

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 RACK 1

E ₁	E ₁	I ₁	M ₃	L ₁	N ₁	N ₁

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 RACK 2

E ₁	E ₁	U ₁	N ₁	G ₂	P ₃	X ₈

Double Word Score

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 RACK 3

O ₁	U ₁	Y ₄	R ₁	T ₁	N ₁	C ₃

2nd Letter Triple

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 RACK 4

Yesterday's Solution

F ₄	E ₁	T ₁	U ₁	S ₁	E ₁	S ₁
U ₁	N ₁	D ₂	O ₁	N ₁	E ₁	
C ₃	U ₁	R ₁	S ₁	O ₁	R ₁	Y ₄
S ₁	L ₁	E ₁	E ₁	K ₅	E ₁	N ₁

 PAR SCORE 140-150
 RACK 1 = 60
 RACK 2 = 9
 RACK 3 = 62
 RACK 4 = 72
 TOTAL 203

FOUR RACK TOTAL

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Sudoku

MEDIUM

2	9		7	6	4	3		
5				9				6
4				8	5			1
7	2						8	9
	8	3	5	4	9	2	6	
6	4						1	3
9			1	5				2
8				3				4
		7	4	2	8		9	5

Yesterday's Solution

6	2	8	7	3	4	1	5	9
4	9	3	1	2	5	8	6	7
5	1	7	8	6	9	3	2	4
8	5	2	6	7	3	4	9	1
7	4	6	2	9	1	5	8	3
1	3	9	5	4	8	6	7	2
9	8	5	3	1	2	7	4	6
2	6	1	4	8	7	9	3	5
3	7	4	9	5	6	2	1	8

Need more Sudoku? Find another puzzle in the Comics section of The Post every Sunday and in the Style section Monday through Saturday.

Comics

POOCH CAFE | PAUL GILLIGAN



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Forecast

75 | **54**

Today: Cooler today with sunshine and some clouds. Mostly cloudy tonight.

62 | **47**

Tomorrow: Mainly cloudy tomorrow. A couple of showers tomorrow night.

Looking Ahead

THU **FRI** **SAT**
70 | **54** **72** | **56** **65** | **48**

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today: 6:28 a.m.
 Sunset today: 7:47 p.m.
 Moonrise today: 4:23 a.m.
 Moonset today: 4:41 p.m.

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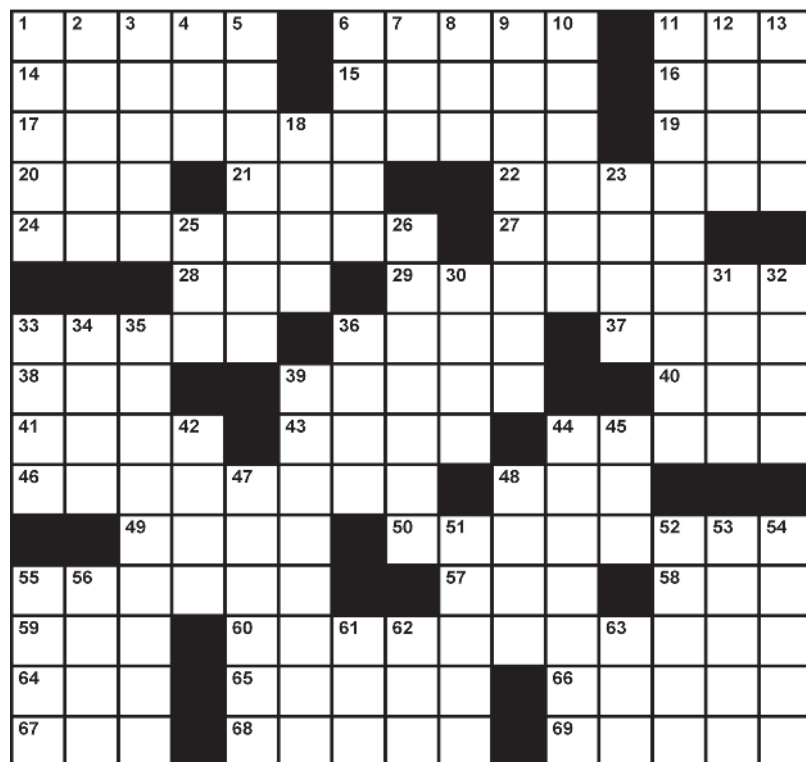
HOW'S THAT FEEL?

ACROSS

- 1 Medicinal measures
- 6 One commemorative feast
- 11 Ad-___ committee
- 14 One of Montezuma's people
- 15 Forgo, as one's rights
- 16 Indefinite number
- 17 Engages in disorderly play
- 19 Big name in electronics
- 20 Home key neighbor
- 21 Damage or deface
- 22 Become flushed, as cheeks
- 24 Approaches the runway
- 27 It can be in front of your house
- 28 Acorn, later
- 29 Filibuster busters
- 33 Baseball cap part
- 36 "___ go brag"
- 37 Hobbling gait
- 38 "Without further ___"
- 39 Piano-lesson piece
- 40 Itinerary preposition
- 41 Wedding-band hand
- 43 Goes for the bronze?
- 44 Motionless
- 46 Attractive (Var.)
- 48 Flexible card in blackjack
- 49 Evans or Carnegie
- 50 Cigar holders
- 55 Combat mission
- 57 Bert Bobbsey's sister
- 58 "There's ___ in 'team'"
- 59 Little Jack Horner's last words
- 60 Used a carpenter's plane
- 64 Barbie's male friend
- 65 Painter Toulouse-Lautrec
- 66 "Ho ho ho" crier
- 67 Big newspaper expense
- 68 Baked-mud brick
- 69 "That'll teach you!" look

DOWN

- 1 Had the guts
- 2 ___ layer (upper atmosphere part)
- 3 Small earrings
- 4 Brain-wave test (Abbr.)
- 5 Cream-cheese serving
- 6 Cavalry weapon
- 7 ___ Claire, Wis.
- 8 Affront, in slang
- 9 You, me and the whole gang
- 10 Do an usher's job
- 11 Computer part
- 12 "Fool me ___, shame on you ..."
- 13 Primary color in photography
- 18 A coil, as of yarn
- 23 The D in FDA
- 25 Pigeon sound
- 26 Squeeze into a ball
- 30 Tupperware pieces
- 31 Foreign dignitary
- 32 Small argument
- 33 A river might run through it



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- 34 "Beware the ___ of March!"
- 35 Pop
- 36 Case for needles and small scissors
- 39 Held in high regard
- 42 "Follow ___ car!"
- 44 Chilly attitude
- 45 "Stupid Flanders," according to Homer
- 47 "Happy Endings" actress Cuthbert
- 48 Asian housemaid
- 51 Loosen, as a shoelace
- 52 "I'll do it ___ condition ..."
- 53 "I get my kicks on _ 66"
- 54 "Norwegian Wood" instrument
- 55 Pseudonymous short-

- story master
- 56 Broken mirror, to some
- 61 Lennon's wife
- 62 Christmas bulb, e.g.
- 63 Vice president after George

Yesterday's Solution



Today in History

1492 Christopher Columbus gets a commission from Spain to seek a westward ocean passage to Asia.

1937 Daffy Duck makes his debut in the Warner Bros. cartoon "Porky's Duck Hunt," directed by Tex Avery.

1961 About 1,500 CIA-trained Cuban exiles launch the disastrous Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba in an attempt to topple Fidel Castro.

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people **lookout****DENIALS****Manson Claims 'Occult' Actress Is Just Too Weird**

Despite reports from E! that Marilyn Manson and "independent occult filmmaker" Seraphim Ward are engaged, Manson has never actually met Ward. According to Us Weekly, reps for the rock star categorically deny that Manson will marry Ward. Ward tweeted a photo of her engagement ring Sunday and said she was "speechless and in shock." (EXPRESS)

COUPLES**It's the 'That '70s Show' Reunion Nobody Wanted!**

Recently divorced actor Ashton Kutcher may be dating his longtime TV co-star Mila Kunis. E! is relaying rumors from X17Online, which claims the two were holding hands and generally acting romantic in Los Angeles. Kunis and Kutcher played a couple for many seasons on Fox sitcom "That '70s Show" and will appear Sunday on a Fox anniversary special. (EXPRESS)



"Hey Mila," Kutcher whispers, "Want to do another derivative romantic comedy?"

Dirtbag Digest**It Was Some Other Guy in an Ugly Hat**

Bobby Brown has pleaded not guilty to drunken driving and other charges stemming from his arrest last month in Los Angeles. An attorney entered pleas Monday on Brown's behalf to misdemeanor counts of DUI, driving with an illegal blood-alcohol content and driving on a suspended license. (AP)



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CRIME**Photo? Shoot!**

Pippa Middleton, 27, may face jail time in relation to an incident in Paris on Saturday where an unidentified companion of hers pointed a handgun at photographers. Us Weekly reports that if the gun is real, the man could be looking at up to seven years in prison, and if it's fake he could see two. If police determine that there is enough evidence in the case, Middleton, whose sister Kate is the Duchess of Cambridge, could face arrest, interrogation and potential sentencing. (EXPRESS)

**RETRACTIONS****Also Still a Fan of Bush-Era Policies, Southwest Airlines, His Teen Daughter**

Alec Baldwin says he's still a fan of NBC despite tweeting angrily last week that he was "leaving NBC just in time" after a "Today" show crew camped outside his apartment building. Baldwin says he'll finish a seventh season of "30 Rock" but that it's slated to end next year. He says NBC needs to redo its lineup. (AP)

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